

Application No.: 09/422,944

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REMARKS

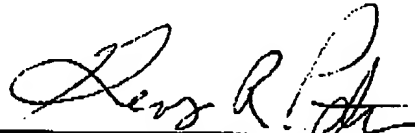
Claims 1-21 are pending in the application. Claim 22 has been cancelled. Claims 1-21 have been allowed. Since the rejected claim has been cancelled, favorable reconsideration is believed to be in order. Should any further issues remain to be resolved, the Examiner is urged to contact the undersigned at the telephone number below.

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Respectfully submitted,

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